GEORGIANS GET FRONT SEATS.

lina Counites Opposed to a Trans The Title Corrected—Action of Various Committees,

MEMPHIS, TENN., May &-(Special.)-In the Methodist General Conference toa memorial from Centenary church, duties of church trustees was referred to Committee on Revisals. As the mat-Oned satisfactorily by the law.

W. F. Cook, of the North Georgia Conference, on a question of privilege, said his delegation had asked for no favors, but were left unseated, and that was why he had brought the matter up. They portors were sent to the choir-loft, be bind the platform.

The conference confirmed the decision of the Committee on Appeals in the Man

Andrew Jackson Lawless, a preacher of the Western Conference, who was expelled upon the charge of an assault with intent to kill, appealed, and the case was referred to the Committee on appeals. J. J. Sugert was named to represent the accussed, and S. I., Carpenter for the Church.

CAROLINA MEMORIALS,

Memorials were read from quarterly

VIRGINIA AFFAIRS. Dr. R. N. Sledd was appointed to preach it First Methodist church to-morrow, and Paul Whitehead and Coke Smith at

ut admitting preachers on trial, r. Tigert's proposition to change the s provoked a warm discussion, which West, E. B. Perkons, and D. R. Duncan CHANGE IN TIME.

KELLY VS. HARGROVE

The Committee of Episcopacy is sit-ing with closed doors in the complaint f D. C. Keily, against R. K. Hargrove, orthing can be gleaned regarding the reducibles. Fir. Kelly, who is the hampion of the movement to change the

NOTES NORFOLKONIAN. Opening of the General Convention of the

Christian Church. NORFOLE, VA., May 5 .- (Special.)-

Church, South, is in session in this city, with twenty-seven delegates present from Nirginia and North Carolina, and several Westers from other States. Rev. Dr. W. W. Staley delivered the annual address.

the Church.
Rev. Dr. M. Summerbell, of Minnes
preached last night,
EVENING SESSION.

In the convention this afternoon trus-tees of Elon College were appointed. The reports on home and foreign mis-sions were discussed at length and adopted. Rev. J. P. Watson, editor of the Herald of Gospel Liberty, preached the sermon.

The Memorial Christian Temple, just erected here, will be dedicated to-morrow

morning.

Mr. R. P. Hughes has been appointed agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio rail-road in this city.

Fresh fish are selling almost "for a song" in our market just now. From now until the middle of June the finnies are at their prime, and are cheapest; after that the choice varieties get scarcer, and higher.

Rev. Sam Small and Mrs. Small left last night for Atlanta. They will return to Norfolk next Wednesday.

OHIO GRAIN-DEALERS.

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The United States steamship Dolphi

HEADQUARTERS. The Democratic Executive Committee have opened headquarters on Main street. The Republicans have established head-

for the fall campaign. BURGLAR AND BEAST.

A Negro Attempts an Assault in Dinwiddle County.

quarters on Main street, to get in shape

PETERSBURG, VA., May 5 .- (Special.) urred. An examination was made, and t was found that the house had been it was found that the house had been entered through a window which was prized open, and that a ham and a bag of meal had been stolen. As soon as the woman became quiet she told the following story: Shee had been awakened by some one attempting to get into the bed in which she was sleeping, and when she attempted to cry out a hand was put over her mouth and she was seized by the throat and warned if she attempted to make any resistance that she would be killed; that she scuffled and fought with her assailant until she got loose from

Mr. Peebles at once suspected a negro named James Thomas, who had been seen about his farm yesterday, and he swore out a warrant for his arrest, charging him with burslary and assaulting Ellen Woodraff. Thomas was traced towards the city and this morning. Serveant

THE "TIDE OF TRAVEL" HAS SET IN

to give a satisfactory reason for it.

The Petersburg club will leave on Su day for Roanoke to play several game From there they go to Staunton, at thence to Lynchburg, and then back hom The club will be away nine days. On ti 17th instant the club will meet the Rick monds in this city.

A CHARMING HOME MARRIAGE.

Miss Mattie V. Holden CARRIAGE.

OLD POINT COMFORT, VA., May S.-R. Holden, of this city, was married Thursday afternoon at the residence of her parents, on Liberty street, to William T. Johnson, a popular citisen of Hampton. Rev. S. K. Winn, pastor of the Washington-Street Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate friends of the family. The parlors were beautifully decorated in honor of the occasion. The couple went North on their bridal tour.

Miss Virgie Drewry and Miss Judith Dean, two very charming young ladies, Special.)—Since - the handsome new teamers were put on the line between Norfolk and Washington the tide of travel has been steadily increased, and now it has become very popular for a Last Sunday, for instance, she brought down Hon. Walter Q. Gresham, Secretary Assistant Secretary of War; Hon. Don. Mr. Thurber, the President's private secretary. They arrived at the Hygeia in time for breakfast, spent the day very pleasantly visiting the fort, the Soldiers' of interest. The party returned by boat that evening, except General Doe, who remained over for a couple of days

It is not believed that Colonel Hugh R. Smith, our newly confirmed postmaster, and Mr. Thomas L. Shipper, our new Collector of Customs, will take charge of their respective offices before the 15th of the month. Their bonds are now in Weshington awaiting approval. The Colthe guest of Captain Davis. SHAKING UP. There has been a shaking up among the officers of the garrison during the week. Lieutenant George A. Zinn, United States engineer, who has been in charge of the improvements here for the past three years, has been ordered to St. Louis, and left for his new station last evening. Captain William P. Vose, Second Ar-

dental discharge of a revolver, is en-joying the sea breezes at the Hygela. He is still suffering from his wound, and

is obliged to use crutches.

Major C. E. L. B. Davis, United States

SOCIAL NOTES.

late Captain Alligood, U. S. N., is at the Hygela. Mr. Charles M. Phoebus, of Washing-

secured during their cruise, and which will be turned over to the Navy Depart-

Manager Pike, of the Hygela, has com-

RICHMONDERS.

The following Richmonders have reg-

the month. Their bonds are now in Waghington awaiting approval. The Collector of Customs has one of the finest offices in the city, but he will hardly make enough money out of it in the course of a year to pay for his Christmas dinner. And yet he is required to give bond in the sum of \$5,000 for the faithful discharge of his duties, and as custodian of the customs house and its property is tillery, who has been one of the instruc-tors at the artillery school for the past eight years, is ordered to the light bat-tery at Fort Riley, Kansas Captain of the customs house and its property is held to serious accountability. As far as your correspondent has been tery at Fort Riley, Kansaa Captain Louis V. Caziare, for a number of years adjutant of the post, will succeed Captain Vose at the school.

Paymaster Sintpson, of the Detroit—the only man wounded on our side in the Brazilian war—and he by the accidental discharge of a revolver, is eninformed, the Democratic people of this city are heartily in favor of the incometax, as proposed in the new tariff bill, and they will sustain Congress in pass-

and they will sustain Congress in passing it.

The services appropriate to Ascension-Day will be held by the Knights Templar of this city to-morrow (Sunday) night at the Washington-Street Methodist Episcopal church. They will be conducted by the pastor, Sir Knight W. G. Starr, D. D., who will also deliver a special sermon appropriate to the occasion. An immense crowd will doubtless be present. crowd will doubtless be present.

OFFICE, BUT NO PAY.

BOYDTON'S CLEVER SCHOLARS.

Those Receiving Distinctions and Avera

ges-Seyenteen-Year Locusts. BOYDTON, VA., May 5 .- (Special.)-The ough, and in order to receive a distinction the pupil was required to answer correctly 85 per cent. of the questions. The following passed distinguished examinations: First class, Thomas Faulkner and Laura Townes; second class, Charles Faulkner, Annie Hardy, Mary Etta Haskins, Bessie Homes, and Edwin Williams; third class, Mattie Brown, Thomas Bryson, George Field, Helen Homes, and Frank Loyd. Annie Hardy, Charles Faulkner, and Thomas Faulkner deserve special commendation for making the highest averages.

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Rev. T. H. Campbell, Presiding Elder of the Farmville District, Virginia Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, made his quarterly visit this week. He preached a most excellent sermon, to the delight and edification of a large convergence.

by large congregations, and in two fine efforts sustained his reputation as an able minister of the Gospel.

The seventeen-year locusts have made their appearance in great numbers. In spot where he had hidden the things

Mr. John D. Pickett, of Philadelphia, is here on business.

from raising an alarm, and getting him caught. Thomas was put in the jail in this city, where he will be kept to await the action of the Dinwiddie authorities.

BASE-BALL NOTES.

Much regret is expressed in the commutation of the party.

Chairman Liyson on the Ground.

NORFOLK, VA., May 5.—(Special.)—
istered at the Hygeia Hotel during the week: J. A. McGarry, R. Cary Smith, Democratic Committee, is in this city, in consultation with the Democratic leaders with a view of adjusting existing difficulties in the party.

The following Richmonders have regressively at the Hygeia Hotel during the week: J. A. McGarry, R. Cary Smith, P. J. Cabell, Mis Lelia Tatum, E. H. Gunst, Colonel J. B. Baylor, Colonel J. Bell Figger, T. H. Rigger, R. H. Cardwell, J. R. Macmurdo, Miss Parker,

by the Mor. OLD POINT COMFORT. Stowart Ford George W. Allen: Mrs. W. THE OLD WARM. THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Chase City-Fired by Lightning.
CHASE CITY, May 5.—(Special.)—A meeting of the citizens was held here last night, presided over by the Mayor of the town, Captain Orlando J. Hayes, The Peaceful Valley and the Re to complete the arrangements for the ac-commodation of the Teachers' Institute WARM SPRINGS, VA., May 5 .- If a

During a thunder-storm on Wednesday in the building. The loss is fully \$1,000; insurance, \$300, in the Loudoun Mutual Fire Insurance Company. Singular to say, scarcely any rain or wind attended this lightnipg cloud.

Large and luscious strawberries have already riseased here. They are much

already ripened here. They are much earlier than usual. Mr. Philip Darby, president of the Darby Candy Manufacturing Company, of Bal-timore, and wife, en route from Florida, are sojourning here at the Mineral Hotel for their health. Mr. Darby says he has

been in the candy business for nearly half a century in Baltimore. The election recently by the State Board of Education of Professor Thomas W. Smith as County Superintendent of Public Schools to succeed Dr. W. J. Carin the right place."
Mrs. Mahala Geenes, in her 87th year,

died near here a few days ago.

Proverbial good weather now prevails in all this section of the county.

engineer, who has charge of the works at the post, arrived here Wednesday from Washington, and relieved Lieutenant FI.OYD. VA., May 5.—(Special.)—Judge Blair opened the spring term of the Circuit Court on Thursday. The term will probably be a prolonged one. Judge W. W. Crump, of Richmond, is in attendance as counsel for the Virginia Fire and Mariae. Insurance, Company in two suits Zinn of his responsibilities.

Paymaster O. C. Tiffany, of the receiving-ship Vermont, arrived from New York Wednesday.

Colonel Loney, a prominent citizen of Baltimore, spent a few days at the post during the week, on a visit to his daugh-ter. Mrs. Lieutenant Zinn. Mrs. Irwin, wife of Colonel Irwin, medias counsel for the Virginia Fire and Mar-rine Insurance Company in two suits pending in this court. Messrs. A. A. Phle-gar and M. H. Tompkins, of Christians-burg; J. C. Wisor, of Newbern; M. C. McCiung, of Salem, and W. D. Tomkins, of Hillsville, all well-known lawyers of this section, are also in attendance. Rev. R. D. Haymore, of Chattanooga, Tenn., preached the funeral of P. L. Howard, who died several months ago, in the Bantist church here last Sunday. cal director, arrived from Chicago Mon-day on a visit to her son, Lieutenant George LeRoy Irwin, of the garrison. The Count de Chambrun, of the French legation, arrived here Sunday, on a visit to Captain and Mrs. Story. Mrs. Bruce, of Boston, daughter of the the Baptist church here last Sunday. ples and late cherries escaped the big freeze in April, though fruit will be scarcer than ever before. The farmers are complaining of dry weather. When the control of the Mr. Charles M. Facetus, of Wasainat.

One is visiting his mother at Roseianat.

Major and Mrs. E. B. Mosseley entertained the officers and ladies of the garrison at a musicale on Wednesday evening, which was largely attended and the control of the officer.

weather. Wheat, oats, and grass all suffering for rain. If you are thinking about buying a plaster, remember that you will place it upon your body, and cannot get a plaster

upon your body, and cannot get a plaster that will be too good for you. Allcock's Porous-Plaster is the best plaster made. Your druggist may have some other plaster on his shelves which he is anxious to get rid of, or else some worthless imitation purchased at a low price for the purpose of substitution. Do not accept his "just as good" plea, insist upon having the genuine. Allcock's Parous-Plaster has no equal. sist upon having the genuine. Allcock's coupled with a power of self-centrol, which are as wonderful as they are ladicrous. One of our party put the little upon.

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WILL IT FALL A PREY TO LUXU-RY?"-THAT'S THE QUESTION.

the bare necessities of past times.

EASE OF TRAVEL

inspectors for this (Lancaster) county, as
the duties required of inspectors are
largely increased under the new law.
Boft-shell crabe are being caught by
the thousands, and the bottom has dropped
out of the market.
There never was known to be such
quantities of croaker (grumblers) fish as
are now swarming in the Rappahannock.
Fish ponds fill with them as fast as they
are emptied. Twenty barrels per day to
the net is the average catch. Hook-andline fishermen are in their glory, as the lover of the mountains has not been among them for some time, it almost sounds like exaggeration to attempt to they are the fitting symbol of everlasting peace, whereas the ocean with its

and are a drug on the market at 50 cents a hundred.

Great preparations are being made for the excursion to Fredericksburg on Thursday next to attend the unveiling of the Mary Washington monument.

The Northern-Neck Baptist Sunday-School Convention will be held at Fairport on Saturday and Sunday, May 19th and 20th. Quite an extensive programme is announced for the occasion.

Work is being rapidly pushed at the Wharton Grove (Baptist) camp-ground. Everything will be in shape for the opening in August next. restless surging best typifies the everlasting unrest of unsatisfied, insatiable desires. It is our good fortune to be on a visit to this beautiful Warm-Spring Valley, and whilst in the full enjoyment of the balmy air, the picturesque scenery, and the peaceful sylvan scenes that con-

tinually present themselves, which have remained, so to speak, unchanged for a century, we are forced to draw compariing in August next.

John Elmore, a respectable and worthy citizen, died this week from Bright's disease. Much sickness is reported throughsons between the luxuries of to-day and

ease. Much sickness is reported through-out this section.

The Chesapeake Agricultural Assecta-tion, of Kilmarnock, Va., will hold a spring meet and sales days on the 30th and 31st. It formerly took two days and more to reach this garden spot; now we may leave Richmond at 10 P. M. and arrive at the Warm Springs by 9 A. M., changing cars

Warm Springs by 9 A. M., changing cars at Covington, not for the old time stage-coach, which many yet sigh for, but for the comfortable stylish coaches that are run on the Warm Springs Valley railroad by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, As all know, at the Mot the company has lately opened new notels and Coxey's dissatisfied 400 could find work and good pay just now in this section. The trucking season is approaching, and there is always a shortage of hands. The farmers, too, are loud in their complaints from a similar cause.

The first shipment of strawberries from magnificent baths that are provided with

every improvement, and are conducted in such a manner as to satisfy the most The Menhaden fishermen are making fairly good catches. They report unprecedent numbers of bluefish off the coast. Much grumbling is heard at the action of the late Legislature in the matter of road and dog laws. Representatives are accused of shirking the responsibility.

The event of the season occurred on the last day in April, when Mr. Joseph Peirce, of Litwalton, and Miss Janet Colquboun Gilliam, of "Mungullion," were joined in wedlock. The respective bride and groom were leaders in Lancaster society. luxurious taste. Reaching the Hot, those en route to the Warm have a pleasant drive of five miles over a fine boulevard made by the company between the two soon looms in sight, and whilst there are many improvements in the way of plumbing. &c., we are greeted by the old

almost say the domestic service the same that it was in the days of our ancesters, so well has been preserved the polite at-tention, the fine courtly manners of those old times. The Warm Springs still The colony of fishermen at Wilson's wharf, at the mouth of the Rappahanwharf, at the mouth of the Rappahannock. a few days since were startled at
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the finding in one of the nets the body of
a man. He was naked, but for a waistband it is to be hoped the tendency of
the age, which seeks for ease and luxury,
will not change this sweet, comfortable,
homelike place into a modern luxurious
hotel.

A REFINED HOSTESS.

Wharf, at the mouth of the Rappahannock a few days since were startled at
the finding in one of the nets the body of
a man. He was naked, but for a waisttowed ashore, and shortly afterward
recognized as the body of Captain Didrecognized as the body A REFINED HOSTESS.

Mrs. Eubank, who is assisted in the management by her sister, Mrs. Glover, and her nephew, Mr. Thomas J. Glover, combines to a rare degree the talent for administration and the gracious manners of a genial and refined hostess. We see here and there old mountaineers with their stout hearts, ruddy cheeks, unkempt locks, and uncouth clothes, ever ready for a pleasant chat, and when we think that of such stuff our brave Revolutionary, as well as Confederate lines were largely composed, we feel like entering a protest, nay more, of uttering an appeal, and praying for God's sake "do not let us become too civilized—too luxurious."

GRATTAN, THE ORATOR.

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IRVINGTON, May 5.—(Special.)—County-Judge Ewell has appointed four cyster inspectors for this (Lancaster) county, as

THE REASONS FOR THE STABILITY OF NEWPORT NEWS.

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NEWPORT NEWS, May 1.

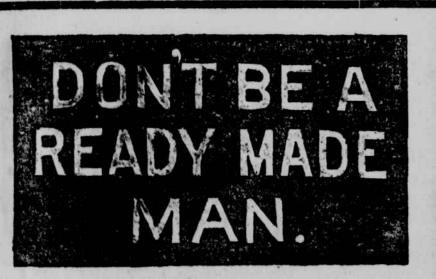
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